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HONOLULU—Plague-prevention Work.

Week ended August 27, 1910.

Total rats and mongoose taken.....	780
Rats trapped.....	769
Mongoose trapped.....	10
Rats found dead (<i>Mus rattus</i>).....	1
Examined bacteriologically.....	678
Plague rats.....	0
Classification of animals trapped:	
<i>Mus alexandrinus</i>	77
<i>Mus musculus</i>	360
<i>Mus norvegicus</i>	70
<i>Mus rattus</i>	262
Average number of traps set daily.....	1,738

INDIA.

Cholera and Plague.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Allan reports, August 16:

During the week ended July 30, there were 9 deaths from cholera and 11 from plague in Calcutta; in all Bengal, 32 cases of plague with 30 deaths; in all India, 962 cases of plague with 707 deaths.

ITALY.

NAPLES—Examination of Emigrants.

Surgeon Geddings reports, August 29:

Vessels inspected at Naples and Palermo week ended August 27.

NAPLES.

Date.	Name of ship.	Destination.	Steerage passengers inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Aug. 25	Roma.....	New York.....	271	65	380
25	America.....	do.....	582	120	720
27	Canopic.....	Boston.....	824	160	1,150
	Total.....		1,677	345	2,250

PALERMO.

Aug. 26	Roma.....	New York.....	386	550	200
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Rejections recommended.

NAPLES.

Date.	Name of ship.	Trachoma.	Favus.	Suspected trachoma.	Other causes.	Total.
Aug. 25	Roma.....	7	5	5	17
25	America.....	25	12	4	41
27	Canopic.....	16	1	8	13	38
	Total.....	48	1	25	22	96

PALERMO.

Aug. 26	Roma.....	19	14	33
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